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U.S. PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Tapani VUORINEN

Group Art Unit: 1731

Serial Number: 09/674,289

Examiner: M. Alvo

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For: METHOD OF PRODUCING A FIBER PRODUCT

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Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2002, for two months from January 21, 2003, to March 21, 2003.

A check in the amount of \$410.00 is attached hereto to cover the cost of the extension. Please charge any additional required fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 111833.

Respectfully submitted,

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